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Honorable David E. Bell Director Bureau of the Budget Executive Office Building Washington 25, D.C.

Dear Mr. Bell:

The Chairman of the House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee has requested a report from this Agency on H. R. 7149, H. R. 7475, H. R. 7486 and H. R. 7489, identical proposals to be cited as the "Richard E. Byrd Antarctic Commission Act of 1961."

The attached suggested report is similar to reports submitted to this Committee in the 85th and 86th Congresses on similar proposals.

Advice is requested as to whether the Bureau of the Budget has any objection to the submission of the attached report.

Sincerely,

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Attachment

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